

## AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

*Please amend the second paragraph starting on page 10, line 7 as follows:*

A<sub>1</sub> The Fischer-Tropsch wax ~~of~~ formed from natural gas ~~type~~ is particularly preferred to use. It is because the Fischer-Tropsch wax ~~of~~ formed from natural gas ~~type~~ gives excellent anti-offsetting property against a thermal fixing roll and excellent preservation stability to the toner. Further, it can be produced in low cost, because the production is free from a step of taking a blue water gas in the case of coal type.

*Please amend the paragraph starting at page 19, line 2 of the specification as follows:*

A<sub>2</sub> Fischer-Tropsch wax formed from natural ~~Natural gas type Fischer-Tropsch wax~~ 2.5 parts  
(Trade name: FT-100, manufactured by Nippon Seirou Co., Ltd., melting point: 91°C)

*Please amend the paragraph starting at page 20, line 4 of the specification as follows:*

A<sub>3</sub> Fischer-Tropsch wax formed from natural ~~Natural gas type Fischer-Tropsch wax~~ 2.5 parts  
(Trade name: FT-100, manufactured by Nippon Seirou Co., Ltd., melting point: 91°C)